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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) Executive Committee Meeting—May 2022

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Office of Research and Development (ORD), gives notice of virtual meetings of the Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) Executive Committee (EC) to review ORD's six Strategic Research Action Plans (StRAPs) and request for public comment on the six draft StRAPs.

**DATES:** The deliberation meeting will be held over two days via videoconference:

- a. Wednesday, May 4, 2022, from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT); and
- b. Thursday, May 5, 2022, from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT).

Attendees must register by May 3, 2022.

Meeting times are subject to change. This series of meetings is open to the public. Comments must be received by May 3, 2022, to be considered by the BOSC. Requests for the draft agenda or making a presentation at the meeting will be accepted until May 3, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** Instructions on how to connect to the videoconference will be provided upon registration at: https://epa-bosc-executive-committee-mtg.eventbrite.com.

Submit your comments to Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765 by one of the following methods:

- www.regulations.gov: Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
  - *Note*: comments submitted to the www.regulations.gov website are anonymous unless identifying information is included in the body of the comment.

- *Email:* Send comments by electronic mail (email) to: ORD.Docket@epa.gov, Attention Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765.
  - Note: comments submitted via email are not anonymous. The sender's email will
    be included in the body of the comment and placed in the public docket which is
    made available on the internet.

Instructions: All comments received, including any personal information provided, will be included in the public docket without change and may be made available online at www.regulations.gov. Information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute will not be included in the public docket and should not be submitted through www.regulations.gov or email. For additional information about the EPA's public docket visit the EPA Docket Center homepage at http://www.epa.gov/dockets/.

Public Docket: Publicly available docket materials may be accessed Online at www.regulations.gov.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

The Designated Federal Officer (DFO), Tom Tracy, via phone/voicemail at: 919-541-4334; or via email at: *tracy.tom@epa.gov*.

Any member of the public interested in receiving a draft agenda, attending the meeting, or making a presentation at the meeting should contact Tom Tracy no later than May 3, 2022.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) is a federal advisory committee that provides advice and recommendations to EPA's Office of Research and Development on technical and management issues of its research programs. The meeting agenda and materials including the draft StRAPs will be posted to <a href="https://www.epa.gov/bosc">https://www.epa.gov/bosc</a>.

Proposed agenda items for the meeting include, but are not limited to, the following: review the six StRAPs and BOSC deliberation.

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least ten days prior to the meeting to give the EPA adequate time to process your request.

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